

STRIKE SETTLEMENT IS FURTHER AWAY

RAILROAD PRESIDENTS MAY NOT
CONCEDE 8-HOUR
DAY.

OTHERS TO MAKE PROTESTS

Manufacturers Will Meet to Protest
Against Surrender of
Arbitration.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Aug. 25.—President Wilson summoned representatives of the railroad employees to meet him at 10:30 this morning, and at the same time requested representatives of the employers to meet him later in the day to discuss proposals which have developed out of the original plan for settlement of the proposed strike. It is understood the president wishes to get the views of the brotherhoods on legislation to prevent future controversies.

Men Are Unchanged.

The four brotherhood heads remained with Wilson an hour and a half. "The situation, as far as we are concerned," said Garretson, spokesman for the employees, after the conference, "is absolutely unchanged. No complete concrete proposition, to which the railroads will agree, has been tendered us. Our position is the same as when we accepted Wilson's plan."

Optimism Lacking.

Expressions of optimism on both sides were not so free today as yesterday. Some of the railway executives predicted the 8-hour day would never be conceded. Railroad executives today conferred among themselves, studying the form of their communication to Wilson.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Representatives of manufacturing and industrial organizations from all parts of the country will meet here Tuesday to protest against the surrender of the principle of arbitration in the negotiations between railroads and employees.

What Roads Concede.

First.—The flat eight-hour day, with prorata pay for overtime. The agreement to be a signed contract for one year between the railroads and the four brotherhoods represented.

Second.—The eight-hour day to be...

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Prairieville School Received State Standard Diploma—Was Great Day

When Austin Powers, heavy Palmyra tax payer, although a resident of Sterling, moved that all who were assembled at the school exercises at Prairieville Thursday afternoon, extend a vote of thanks to the directors of the school for their efforts in bringing it to and maintaining it at the standard which won for it a Standard Diploma from the state superintendent of public instruction, the greatest school day in the history of Palmyra was brought to a great close.

The motion carried in a storm of "eas" and the progressive spirit of the good people of Palmyra was clearly indicated in unanimity with which Mr. Powers' motion carried.

Is Fine School.

Among those who spoke were Hon. James P. Wilson of Polo, Prof. John E. Cross, superintendent of the Ogle county schools; Prof. Harry B. Price, superintendent of Whiteside schools; Fred Klosterman of Chicago, E. H. Brewster of Dixon, a former teacher in the Prairieville schools; A. E. Thummel of Sterling, and many others, some of them former teachers and pupils.

School History.

Miss Powers gave an interesting history of the Prairieville school and Mrs. Kittie Ballou of Dixon, a former student, sang several delightful solos. There were recitations by several of

GENERAL PERSHING.

U. S. Commander Says
Villa No Longer a Peril.



Photo by American Press Association.

RAIN CANNOT STOP ELK'S BIG CLAM BAKE

LARGE CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE WILL ERECT MANY SHELTERS.

ARRANGEMENTS MOST COMPLETE

Weather conditions can have no detrimental effect on the serving of "eats" or the production of the greatest open-air cabaret show at the Elks' Clam Bake at Adelheid Park. Labor Day. A big construction committee has been named to work all of next week erecting booths, tents and shelters for use in case rain should attempt to stop the big event, and by the time the park opens at 9 o'clock Monday morning, Sept. 4, the most complete of any arrangements of the kind ever made for similar events will have been completed. The construction committee, the personnel of which is as follows, is the largest of any before appointed: Chairman Walter S. Greig, Tim Sullivan, B. F. Downie, George W. Smith, Ed Blackman, Barney Bush, A. L. Heckman, Henry Kenneth, Harry Teachout, Frank Bender and John Herbst.

CONGRESS TO ADJOURN.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Administration leaders are planning an adjournment of Congress next Friday or Saturday.

MAUREPAS, ON SOMME FRONT, HAS FALLEN

BERLIN ANNOUNCED LOSS OF POSITION TO FRENCH FORCES.

EIGHT KILLED BY AIR RAID

Zeppelins Dropped 150 Bombs on the East Coast of England Last Night.

(Associated Press)

Paris, Aug. 25.—Heavy shelling of the German lines continues in the region of Lassigny and Roye, south of Somme.

(The foregoing apparently indicates an extension of the French offensive south of the Somme to a distance of 30 miles.)

Russians Advance.

Petrograd, Aug. 25.—The Russians have resumed their advance along the entire Asiatic front. The Turks have evacuated Bitlis.

Germans Repulsed.

Paris, Aug. 25.—German counter attacks last night in the vicinity of Maurepas, where the French made gains yesterday, were repulsed with heavy German losses.

Aerial Raid.

London, Aug. 25.—Eight persons were killed and 36 injured in a Zeppelin raid of England last night. 150 bombs were dropped. One of the six raiding airships reached London.

Wednesday Night, Too

Berlin, Aug. 25.—An attack was made on London by an airship, Wednesday night.

British Lines Extended.

London, Aug. 25.—After hard fighting on the Somme front the British lines were extended several hundred yards in the region of Delville Wood.

French Take Maurepas

Berlin, Aug. 25.—Maurepas on the Somme front has been captured by the French.

London, Aug. 25.—Definite gains

made by the war office. The British lines were extended several hundred yards in the region of Delville Wood. The French have captured Maurepas on the Somme front. The British lines were extended several hundred yards in the region of Delville Wood.

Special Session Is Assured

Gov. Dunne Received Many Favorable Replies Today.

(Associated Press)

Springfield, Aug. 25.—A special session of the general assembly to pass legislation to permit Illinois guardsmen on the border to vote, was practically assured this morning when the governor received 94 favorable replies to telegrams he sent yesterday to legislators.

WILL PLAY PLOW CO. TEAM

Lee Center and Grand Detour Bunch To Meet Sunday.

The Grand Detour Plow company

baseball team will go to Lee Center for a return game Sunday and a number of local fans have announced intention of witnessing the second contest between these evenly matched teams. It is expected that Lightner will pitch for Dixon and that Beeny will officiate for Lee Center. A special car will leave Amoy at 1:30, returning after the game.

UNERAL OF MRS. W. SCHICK

Services for Departed Woman to Be Held Saturday.

The funeral of Mrs. Wilhelmina Schick, who passed away suddenly at her home southwest of this city on Tuesday evening, will be held at the home at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon and at the German Lutheran church in this city at 2 o'clock. Rev. Theo. Drexel officiating. Burial will take place at Oakwood cemetery.

Mrs. Otto Petrie of Arizona will not be present at the funeral. She received the funeral notice too late to get here.

Teachers' Institute Next Week Will Be Greatest Held Here

Largest Attendance And Strongest Faculty Are Assured For Meet

Everything is in readiness for the annual Lee County Teachers' Institute, which will be held at the Dixon high school building all next week, and County Superintendent L. W. Miller anticipates the greatest convention in the history of Lee county instructors. Advice from all over the county and, in fact, from adjacent counties, indicate that an exceptionally large attendance will be a feature.

The instructors for the institute are the best ever secured and will all be on hand early Monday to take up their work. Dr. Edgar James Swift, one of the strongest lecturers in the middle west, who is the head-liner in the talent engaged for the coming institute, will arrive Sunday and will stay at the Nachusa Tavern during the week.

BASE BALL TEAM IS BIG LOSER THIS YEAR

DEFICIT OF \$26 IN ADDITION TO RENT AND INSURANCE THUS FAR.

SUNDAY IS FAN'S CHANCE

Does baseball in Dixon pay either the promoters or the players? Emphatically NOT, according to the statement submitted to the players by the management, which shows that thus far this season, in the four games which have been played on the home grounds, a loss of \$26.40 has been met—and that this is in addition to rent of \$90, insurance of \$16 and a considerable sum for repairs on the grounds and stands. Incidentally the players have received absolutely nothing for their work. The receipts and expenditures for the four games in Dixon are:

	Receipts	Expenses
Lyons	\$21.15	\$45.00
Mt. Morris	38.00	33.75
DeKalb	36.00	44.65
Fulton	47.65	56.95

Totals152.80 180.30

Plays Here Sunday.

The players and management have decided to give the fans one more opportunity to show if they want a continuance of the game. The Fulton team, which defeated Dixon 7 to 1 in the early part of this season, comes again Sunday for a return contest in which Dixon will look for revenge. If the expense side of the ledger shows a bigger balance for this game than the receipts—Good Night for baseball here.

PROGRAM OF CONCERT BY C.C. BAND TONIGHT

POPULAR ORGANIZATION WILL PLAY IN DIXON PARK THIS EVE.

The following is the program which will be played by the Chamber of Commerce band at its regular Friday evening concert in John Dixon park, North Dixon, at 7:45 o'clock this evening:

March—The Whip Holzmann
Potpourri—Fair Dove, O. Fond
Dove Schlegel
One-Step—Circus Day in Dixie Cobb
Gavotte—Shadowland Gilbert
Medley—In the Sunny South Hayes
Idyl—The Glad Girl Lampe
Fox Trot—They Call It Dixieland Marshall
Popular Overture—The King Pin Taylor
March—National Defense Lampe
The Star Spangled Banner.

THE WEATHER

Friday, Aug. 25, 1916

Generally fair tonight and on Saturday.

Sunday95 70
Monday95 69

BREMEN WAS TAKEN IN STRAITS OF DOVER

BRITISH MERCHANT MARINE OFFICER CLAIMS SUBMARINE IS A PRISONER.

WAS CAPTURED IN STEEL NET

Says Two of the Crew of Thirty-Five Were Lost—Rest Are Now Captives.

(Associated Press)

New York, Aug. 25.—City News association quotes an officer of the British Merchant Marine, who arrived in New York today, as authority for the statement that the submarine Bremen, whose arrival has been expected in this country for some time, was captured in a steel net in Straits of Dover this month. They said two members of the crew were lost and 35 were captured.

London, Aug. 25.—The German submarine Bremen, reported to be proceeding to the United States, is well on its way, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen. The dispatch says Alfred Lohmann, head of the Ocean Navigation company, which owns the Bremen, asserts he has received a message from the submarine and that it will arrive in America in a few days.

Bremen on Way to America.

London, Aug. 25.—The departure for America a week ago of the German submarine Bremen is reported in a dispatch from Bremen as forwarded from The Hague by the Exchange Telegraph company. It is said that the owners of the Deutschland and the Bremen received word seven days ago of the progress being made by the Deutschland on its return voyage and that it was not until they had obtained this information that they permitted the Bremen to depart.

Returned Through North Sea.

The Deutschland took the same route on both its voyages, the dispatch says, returning to Germany by the North sea. Captain Paul Koenig of the Deutschland is being feted as a national hero, and has been summoned to Emperor William's headquarters to report on his voyage.

The Deutschland returned home slightly damaged, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from The Hague, which says this information is contained in a telegram from Bremen. The members of the crew were unwilling, it adds, to give details of the return voyage. The arrival of the submarine surprised its owners, as it was not expected to dock within a week.

Deutschland Arrives Home.

Berlin, Aug. 25.—The merchant submarine Deutschland arrived at the mouth of the Weser Wednesday, according to the Overseas News agency. The agency says that the Deutschland arrived Wednesday afternoon and anchored before the mouth of the river. All on board are well.

The Vossische Zeitung publishes an interview with Captain Koenig of the Deutschland, who expresses appreciation of the attitude of the United States government in taking every necessary measure to prevent violation of neutrality in connection with the departure of the submarine.

Kaiser Congratulates Owners.

Amsterdam, Aug. 25.—According to a dispatch received here from Berlin, Emperor William has sent the following telegram to the owners of the submarine Deutschland:

"With sincere pleasure I have just received news of the safe return of the submarine liner Deutschland. I heartily congratulate the owners and builders of the vessel and the brave seamen under Koenig's command."

The message also expresses the intention of the emperor to bestow decorations on members of the Deutschland's personnel.

HOME FROM STATE CONVENTION

Dimick, Drew and McCleary Delayed By Engine Failure.

County Clerk Fred Dimick and Supervisors John Drew and J. M. McCleary arrived home this morning from Quincy where they had been attending the state convention of clerks and supervisors. They had intended arriving home last night, but engine failure twenty miles out of Quincy delayed them two hours and they arrived in Galesburg too late to make proper connections. They were royally treated by the Galesburg Elks during their wait in that city.

C. M. HEFLEY TAKES PARTNER

A. M. Rawles, who has been in the employ of the Ferguson Hardware Co. has entered partnership with C. M. Hefley, 1022 Peoria Ave., and hereafter the firm will be known as Hefley & Rawles, who will do furnace work, roofing, spouting and general repair work.

SAYS U. S. IS FAIR

Capt. Koenig Praises America for Deutschland Treatment.



Photo by American Press Association.

JOINT PICNIC WILL BE BIG ATTRACTION

FARMERS WILL GET TOGETHER AT FRANKLIN GROVE FRIDAY, SEPT. 1ST.

GOOD ADDRESSES ASSURED

Plans for the joint farmers' picnic to be held at the camp meeting grounds in Franklin Grove Friday, Sept. 1, under the auspices of the Franklin Grove Farmers' Elevator company and the Lee County Soil Improvement association have been completed and with fair weather it is assured the event will be a big success.

The subject under consideration in the addresses of Wm. G. Eckhardt and L. S. Griffith, county agents of DeKalb and Lee counties respectively, will be "The Possibilities of a County Soil Improvement Association." The addresses will not be lengthy and the major part of the day will be given over to picnic sociability. Free lemonade will be dispensed and the Franklin Grove band will furnish music during the day. The invitation of the committee in charge is extended to everyone interested in the affair.

ARE YIELDING TO PROTESTS

Senate Committee Drops Insurance Tax Pro Bill.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Aug. 25.—The finance committee of the senate, composed largely of democrats, yielding to protests from all parts of the country, has stricken out of the emergency revenue bill the proposed stamp tax on insurance policies. The proposal was for a tax of half a cent on each dollar of premium on all policies, including life insurance.

Secretary Of Agriculture Discusses Provisions of New Federal Road Law

Washington, D. C., Aug. 26.—At a meeting of the State Highway officials held here Aug. 16, 1916, to discuss tentative rules and regulations for carrying out the Federal aid road act, the Secretary of Agriculture made the following statement:

"The federal aid road act and another law—the co-operative agricultural extension act—that the department is charged with the duty of enforcing, establish a new principle in American government, the principle of co-operation between federal and state officers. They are the only laws I recall which recognize and insist upon this principle. They are therefore very significant. Heretofore federal and state officials have too frequently looked at one another across the line, sometimes with apprehension as to what the other was going to do or think, sometimes with jealousy, not infrequently with friction. We serve the same people. They have a right to the best service of the representatives of both jurisdictions. You represent the state and I represent the federal government. Together we are charged with the execution of a very difficult and very important law."

"I need not emphasize before you the importance of good roads. Most intelligent people who think about good roads know that they are essential to comfortable living, essential to proper community development, especially to the development of rural life, to efficient production and orderly marketing of farm products, to good schools, and to the development of a satisfactory rural life."

"Many people, however, do not appreciate this and I have occasionally met road officers who, when the importance of good roads was emphasized, have said, 'Yes, but they cost so much.' Apparently they have not thought how much bad roads cost, not only in dollars and cents, but also in all those indirect ways for which one can make no definite calculation."

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DIXON WAGON BOXES FOR AUTO TRUCK USE

AMERICAN WAGON COMPANY'S BODIES IN HANDS OF BIG SELLERS.

MEANS BOOM FOR FACTORY

As a Result of Adaptation of Convertible Wagon Box To Autos.

The American Wagon company of Dixon has completed arrangements with a large distributing company whereby the local firm is to build its patent convertible wagon box to apply to automobile trucks and at present the shops of the company, located in West Dixon, are the scene of considerable activity, developing the output and getting into training for a strenuous year.

A. F. Kuhnert, superintendent of the factory, stated to a Telegraph reporter this morning that he would be unable to tell what volume of business the plant would be called upon to turn out in the future, but that at present they are shipping all of the truck bodies they can manufacture and they are striving in every way to increase their efficiency.

At present about forty men are employed steadily at the wagon company's shops. It is anticipated that it will be necessary to make big increases in the number of men on the payroll, for the company has sold its entire yearly output to the second biggest selling force in America selling auto truck bodies. At present, orders for shipments are coming in faster than they can be complied with and the American Wagon company's patented truck bodies are being shipped all over America.

The local factory has been newly equipped with various types of machinery and many thousands of dollars have been invested in new machinery, dies and other equipment for making the new product. The truck body now being turned out is exclusively for use on Fords that have been converted into trucks, but the same body is now being designed so that it may be applied to various and larger makes of auto trucks. It is a farm truck body and is called the "American Convertible Motor-truck Body." It gives the farmer and general user eight motor trucks in one, for within the space of one minute the farmer can have either a tight grain wagon, a poultry wagon, a potato wagon, a hog rack, a cattle or sheep wagon, a vegetable wagon, a wagon for hauling vegetables in crates, bags of grain, a carrier for hauled hay or cotton, or a fertilizer carrier. It has hundreds of other uses. Moreover the company's word is that "you can't wear it out and you can't make it rattle."

A great deal of national advertising is being done by the distributors of this truck body. It is the only arrangement of its kind and it is so fully covered by patents that it cannot be duplicated. The prospects are for a big boom in business at the American Wagon company and Dixon may soon see this institution grow to one of National importance.

No. 181.
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and material for the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer with manhole, and house connection laterals for sanitary purposes on East Fourth Street from the manhole heretofore constructed at its intersection with Crawford Avenue easterly five hundred seventy (570) feet to a manhole to be constructed one hundred, sixty-five (165) feet east of Dixon Avenue, passing through the manhole heretofore constructed at Dixon Avenue, in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 181, Series of 1916, of said City of Dixon, will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, until ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1916, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon, (Who is president of the Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the 28th day of August, A. D. 1916. Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as stated above, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is for the construction of 614 cubic yards of excavation; about 600 linear feet of 8" sewer (laid); 280 linear feet of 6" sewer (laid); 1 manhole with an internal diameter of three feet, complete with cast iron cover and iron steps; as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 181, Series of 1916, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this improvement must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of such check or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidder at the City Clerk's Office.

Payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is completed and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work. Specifications for said work are on file in the Mayor's Office and may also be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The person to whom the contract for the construction of said improvement is awarded, shall, before the commencement of work under such contract, provide ample, suitable and valid insurance policies to provide

against and pay all claims or injury to persons or property arising under the laws of the State of Illinois, in the prosecution and construction of said work.

The Council and Board of Local Improvements reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1916.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON,
By MARK C. KELLER,
Their Attorney.

TEUTONS STAND PAT IN ROUMANIAN CRISIS

No Territorial Offers Will Be Made Restless Nation.

Berlin, Aug. 25.—Government circles here, through none too optimistic, view the Roumanian situation calmly, taking the attitude that it is Roumania's next move. The feeling is that the central powers have done everything possible to meet Roumania's views, and that Roumanian, in persisting in the course desired by the entente and her own expansionist party, will find the central powers ready, in which event it is to be expected every effort will be made to insure that the new war theater is on Roumanian soil.

Information from Vienna indicates that the Austro-Hungarian government, bearing in mind the results of the negotiations concerning Italy's claims, before that nation entered the war, has been at no time disposed to offer Roumanian similar concessions for fear that this again would be mistaken for a sign of weakness.

VILLA'S POWER DESTROYED
General Pershing Reports Bandit Leader's Prestige Is Gone.

Washington, Aug. 25.—In a telegram to the war department Brigadier General Pershing reported that Francisco Villa, when last heard from, was making his way south into Durango with a small following and that the opinion was general that his prestige was gone and that he never could become a serious leader in Mexican affairs.

General Pershing said that until recently Villa had been secluded in the mountains of Southern Chihuahua, where he was driven last April by American troops.

SPECIAL SESSION MAY GIVE SOLDIERS VOTE

Gov. Dunne May Call One for Illinois Militia.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 25.—Governor Dunne will call a special session of the legislature to provide legislation allowing Illinois troops on the border to vote if the state members favor it. He sent telegrams to members of both houses asking if they would be present and favor such a bill if he made the call. Two-thirds majority is necessary.

The telegram of the governor sent to every legislator and senator follows:

"If call is issued for special session of general assembly, will you be present and favor bill permitting members of the National Guard in Texas to vote by mail in primary and general election? Please answer immediately."

If enough favorable replies are received to convince Governor Dunne that a bill to enable soldiers to vote while in military duty will pass a special session will be called without delay, he said.

VERA CRUZ ORDER IS FAKE

Secretary Daniels Denies President Wilson Caused Nineteen Deaths.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Secretary Daniels issued a statement denouncing as false a published statement credited to Ralph D. Cole, chief of the Republican Campaign Speakers' League, that President Wilson was responsible for the nineteen American lives lost in the occupation of Vera Cruz because of an order from Washington that the American marines and bluejackets, were not to fire before they were fired upon.

Dr. Daniels said no such order was issued, and that Mr. Cole should make a public apology "for permitting some Munichhausen to use him as the mouthpiece for the unfounded attack upon the chief executive of the republic."

HEAVY PENALTY ON APPEAL

Dr. Liebknecht Gets Four Years and Month He Has Already Served.

Amsterdam, Aug. 25.—The result of Dr. Karl Liebknecht's appeal has been the imposition of a new and severer sentence of four years and one month penal servitude and expulsion from the army, according to a dispatch from Berlin. In addition to his prison sentence, Dr. Liebknecht is deprived of his civil rights for six years.

The court announced that as the prisoner has already served one month of his sentence, he has the privilege of an appeal from the present judgment. The original sentence was thirty months' imprisonment and dismissal from the army.

BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Bost. .70 47 .598	St. L. .65 56 .537
Chi. .65 55 .542	Cleve. .63 56 .529
N. Y. .64 54 .542	Wash. .56 60 .483
Det. .65 56 .537	Phil. .25 89 .219

At Washington— R. H. E.
Chicago .201000000—3 8 4
Washington .120050000—8 8 1

At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
Cleveland .003010010—5 5 2
Philadelphia .040010100—6 14 1

At Boston— R. H. E.
Detroit .000000000—0 3 1
Boston .000000210—3 7 0

At New York— R. H. E.
St. Louis .000000131—5 11 1
New York .210000010—4 13 1

At Cincinnati— R. H. E.
Brooklyn .000000001—1 4 1
Cincinnati .000001001—2 8 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Brook. .68 42 .618	Pitts. .52 59 .468
Bost. .63 42 .600	Chi. .52 64 .448
Phil. .65 46 .588	St. L. .52 65 .444
N. Y. .53 57 .482	Cin. .44 74 .373

At Pittsburgh— R. H. E.
New York .001000000—1 9 3
Pittsburgh .204300010—19 14 1

At Cincinnati— R. H. E.
Brooklyn .000000001—1 4 1
Cincinnati .000001001—2 8 0

At Chicago— R. H. E.
Boston .200102000—5 10 1
Chicago .100000000—1 6 0

At St. Louis— R. H. E.
Philadelphia .000023200—7 11 0
St. Louis .000110000—2 9 5

At Cincinnati— R. H. E.
Brooklyn .000000001—1 4 1
Cincinnati .000001001—2 8 0

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

To the September Term, A. D. 1916.

In Chancery, No. 3398.
Relief.
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.
William S. McCloy, Complainant
vs.
Martha Robinson, her unknown heirs and devisees if she be dead, her unknown husband, Alexander D. Forbes, his unknown heirs and devisees if he be dead, his unknown wife, Eleanor G. Fairfield, her unknown heirs and devisees if she be dead, Elmina J. Granger, her unknown heirs and devisees if she be dead, Martha T. Kenyon, her unknown heirs and devisees if she be dead, and Mary C. Schwarz, her unknown heirs and devisees if she be dead. Defendants.

Affidavit that the above named defendants can not be found having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Lee County, notice is hereby given to all of the above named defendants that the above named complainant William S. McCloy heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said circuit court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants returnable at the court house in Dixon in said County of Lee on the third Monday in September, A. D. 1916, as by law required, which said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

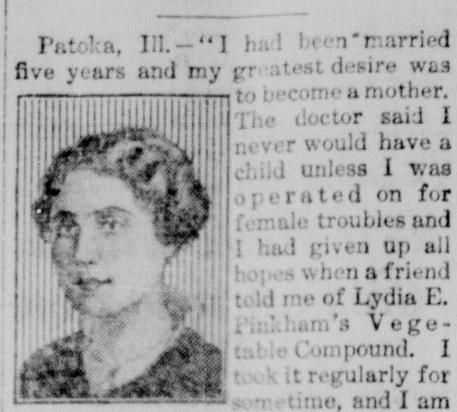
Dated at Dixon, Illinois, September 18, A. D. 1916.
EDWIN S. ROSECRANS,
Circuit Clerk.

FRANK J. BOWMAN,

Solicitor for Complainants.

DESPAIRING WOMAN NOW HAPPY MOTHER

Mrs. Stephens Did Not Need The Surgical Operation.



Patoka, Ill.—"I had been married five years and my greatest desire was to become a mother. The doctor said I never would have a child unless I was operated on for female troubles and I had given up all hopes when a friend told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it regularly for some time, and I am in better health than ever, and have a healthy baby girl. I praise your Vegetable Compound for my baby and my better health. I want all suffering women to know that it is the sure road to health and happiness."—Mrs. GEORGE STEPHENS, R. F. D. No. 3, Patoka, Ill.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is so successful in overcoming woman's ills because it contains the tonic, strengthening properties of good old fashioned roots and herbs, which act on the female organism. Women from all parts of the country are continually testifying to its strengthening, curative influence.

It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration.

HARMON

Glen Hopkins of East Grove was drawing grain to market Wednesday.

John Blackburn of Marion was in Harmon Wednesday on business.

James Frank was in Harmon Wednesday doing business at the farmers' elevator.

Elmer Hess of Van Pelt was a caller in Harmon Wednesday.

The health of the people about Harmon is very good at this time; very few cases of sickness.

Some Dixon parties were in Harmon Wednesday on business.

W. E. Hopkins was a caller in Harmon Wednesday.

Mrs. Lem Camery was on the sick list Wednesday with fever and nausea; some headache.

Mrs. W. H. Smith is in poor health; she often has sick spells.

H. E. Vroman is now in Nebraska with his son, Lucius, who lives at Omaha.

Wm. Edson was a caller in Harmon Wednesday from Hamilton; he was drawing grain to market.

The fall term of school will open September 14th with a good number of pupils.

Casper Schulte was a caller in Harmon Thursday.

Mrs. D. P. Hill was a caller in Harmon Thursday shopping.

Miss Ada Dewey took the train for Sterling Wednesday evening.

Samuel Manning was out gathering poultry early Thursday for shipment to Chicago.

Maniel Bontz of Hamilton was a caller in Harmon Thursday drawing grain to market.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDermott of Hamilton were callers in Harmon Thursday.

Wm. Leech of Amboy was a caller in Harmon Thursday; he announces himself a candidate for representative on the republican ticket to be nominated at the primaries, September 13, 1916; he put up his hand bills with his photo on it.

Mrs. Henry Roark of Hamilton was a caller in Harmon Thursday.

James Congau was a caller in town on business Thursday.

M. Watson of East Grove was a caller in Harmon Thursday.

R. W. Long was a caller in Harmon Thursday.

DENMARK REJECTS WEST INDIES SALE

Landthing Defeats U. S. Proposal by 39 Votes.

London, Aug. 25.—The proposal to sell the Danish West Indies to the United States has been rejected by the Danish Landthing, says a Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen.

The proposition was rejected by thirty-nine votes.

MOOSE WOMAN WILSON AID

Mrs. Axtell, Moose Choice for Congress in Washington, Champions President.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 25.—Mrs. Francis C. Axtell, president of the Washington State Congressional union opposing President Wilson, has resigned her position and will stump the state for the president, according to a telegram received at the White House from George E. Ryan, secretary of the Washington Democratic state committee.

Mr. Ryan said that Mrs. Axtell is the Progressive party's candidate for congress from her district and will receive the support of Democrats.

GREEKS PARADE FOR ALLIES

Carry Cape Draped Flags for Men Killed by Bulgars.

Saloniki, Aug. 25.—The Greeks in Saloniki held a demonstration in favor of the allies, with speechmaking and a parade. One of the features was the appearance in the procession of Greek flags draped with crape in honor of the Greeks killed in the recent fighting with the Bulgarians.

Eliminate Early Editions.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 25.—To curtail the consumption of news print paper, the Seattle evening papers have eliminated their early morning editions, combining their 9:30 a. m. and noon editions into one edition at 10:30 a. m. Hereafter four regular editions will be issued daily instead of five.

Women to Meet Hughes.

Laramie, Wyo., Aug. 25.—A committee of the first women voters of the United States will attend the reception of Charles E. Hughes here today.

Miss Althea Roe of Franklin Grove was in Dixon last evening.

Jacob Fraeich of Plainwell, Mich., arrived here Wednesday for a week's stay. Mr. Fraeich is a former resident of Dixon.



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PUBLIC SALE of REAL ESTATE

A Section of Land to be Sold in Tracts

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the residence on Sec. 3, T. 19, R. 8, four miles south of Harmon, Illinois, the following described property, on

Tuesday, August 29, 1916
Sale to commence at 2:00 o'clock p. m. sharp.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

S. 1/2 of Sec. 11, T. 19, R. 8, located 5 miles south of Harmon, Illinois. Mortgage for \$14,500 due on February 1, 1917. Improvements—House of 6 rooms, barn 38x64 ft., room for 20 horses, 2,500 bushels of oats and 20 tons of hay, 2 double corn cribs, one 48 ft. long and the other is 64 ft. long, scales, garage, two wells, windmill and tank. The farm is all fenced and part is hog tight.

The S. E. 1/4 and the S. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4 Sec. 3 and the E. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 10, T. 19, R. 8, located four miles south of Harmon, Ill. Mortgage of \$12,000 at 5 per cent on the S. E. 1/4 and the S. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4 due December 1, 1917. Mortgage on the E. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 of Section 10, \$3,000 at 5 per cent that is school money. Improvements—House of 9 rooms, barn is 32x64 ft. and will hold 20 horses, 3000 bushels of oats and 15 tons of hay, double corn crib 48 ft. long, granary 14x20 ft., machine shed 16x40, wash house, scales, two well, windmill and tank. This farm is fenced and part is hog tight.

The S. 1/2 Section 11 is rented until March 1, 1918, and the other tracts until March 1, 1921. his land is rented at \$5 per acre for the graze land and one-half of the corn and two-fifths of the small grain. Tenant furnishes all the seed and pays for all the threshing. All the grain to be delivered at Harmon, Ill.

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Society Notes and Club Doings in Dixon and Vicinity

Women's Column

We will give each day in this column a cooking recipe or a household hint or two. The recipes have been furnished by Dixon women and each one has been tested and found good.

Meat Loaf

2 lbs. hamburger, 1 cup bread crumbs, 2 eggs, 2 cups milk, Salt, pepper, green pepper, and a little chili sauce.

Bake slowly.

To Oakdale Campmeeting

Miss Pearl Sindlinger and Miss Cora Miller leave this evening for Oakdale Park to attend the Evangelical camp meeting. They will remain until Monday morning.

Vacation in Cuba

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Day and his son have returned from Cuba, Ill., Mr. Day's former home, where they spent their vacation with relatives.

Trip Through Iowa

Master-in-Chancery C. B. Morrison and wife have returned from a week's motor trip through Iowa, traveling a distance of 800 miles. They had an enjoyable time and report the roads in most perfect condition.

Chicken Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Heckman and G. W. Carpenter, son Boral, and daughter Florence, were entertained yesterday at a chicken dinner at the John Gilbert home in South Dixon.

Scramble Supper

The Y. M. A. and G. R. C. classes of Grace Evangelical church will enjoy a scramble supper on Monday, Sept. 28th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shaver, on the Chicago road. The classes will meet at both the north side church and at Miss Geisenheimer's corner at 6:30 p. m. sharp. A delightful time is anticipated by these young people, knowing as they do the hospitality of both Mr. and Mrs. Shaver and the propensities of both classes.

Entertained at Dinner

Mrs. Earl Kennedy entertained a few friends at dinner last evening.

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Calendar Events

Friday

Presbyterian Missionary, Mrs. Jesse Gardner.
Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Hall
Myrtle Workers, Miller Hall.
Festival Chorus, Methodist Church

To Visit in S. Dakota

Mrs. Howard Sweitzer of South Dixon left last evening for Highmore, S. D., where she will spend two weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welker.

Zion Missionary

Although not a largely attended meeting, the Zion Missionary Society had a very interesting one at the church Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Tobias Schweitzer had charge of the Bible study and Miss Linnie Kleister of the Lesson study. Selections were also read by Mrs. Henry Bollman.

To Starved Rock

The following Dixonites enjoyed an auto trip to Starved Rock: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Floto and daughter Violet, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts and daughter, Mrs. Bunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. William Stark and daughter, Lucile, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Scott, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chapman, Mrs. Winifred Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Soper, Mr. and Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Vincent Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swartz and family, Miss Bonnie Hubbard and Elwood Hantz.

Guardian Relinquishes Campfire
The Sinissippi Campfire girls held their council fire Thursday at the home of their guardian, Miss Amy Petersberger. Miss Petersberger, who organized the campfire a year and a half ago, is obliged to relinquish the guardianship, much to the regret of the girls, but they hope to continue the campfire, although as yet, no one has been secured to take Miss Petersberger's place. The mothers of the girls were also entertained and witnessed the ceremonies at this, the ceremonial meeting. The Wobelo Candle ceremony was used and the girls were awarded the honors for work done during the year. And, believe me, a girl who could win all the honors of the Campfire girls would be a supremely well educated young woman in the practical phases of life.

Miss Ingraham Entertained

Miss Franc Ingraham entertained Wednesday evening at the Country Club the following guests: Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Owens, Messrs. and Mesdames W. J. McAlpine, Theodore Fuller, and F. J. Rosbrook. A delicious supper was served by Miss Hattie Cook, cateress.

New Fall Showing of Silks

Fancy stripes, plaids and plain shades—very popular line—warranted to wear. Priced at, yd., \$1.25 to \$2.25
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Beefsteak Fry
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stitzel entertained Monday evening for Miss Helen Palmer of Sterling with a beefsteak fry at Lowell Park. The other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Weeks and Elmer Rice.
Miss Helen Niman of Polo has been visiting with Dixon relatives.

To G. A. R. Convention

Charles Johnson of this city and his brother, A. M. Johnson of Polo, leave today for Kansas City to attend the National G. A. R. Convention. While there they will visit a brother they have not seen in many years.

With Polo Friends

Miss Lauretta Reynolds has been a guest this week of the Misses Gertrude and Lillian Cavanaugh of Polo.

To Lowell

Sterling Gazette: A jolly party of Sterling people motored to Lowell Park Sunday where they enjoyed a picnic dinner. The party was composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barti, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eckert, Mrs. Winifred Barti and family, Misses Vera Barti, Dorothy Springman, and Elizabeth Barti and Messrs. Maurice Egan, LeRoy Rourke, Jos. Barti, and Harry Rourke of Chicago.

Hear from Herbert Greig

After many months of silence, a letter written by Herbert Greig, who is in West Africa, has finally reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Greig. The French are now in possession of the territory which was formerly held by the Germans and they are holding all incoming missionaries at the coast. Mr. Greig states that save the two or three missionaries in his party; he has seen few white people for a long interval. The mail sent from this country has not reached him for a long time, letters sent in March and April reaching Algeria, and then being returned. The letter sent by Mr. Greig was six weeks in coming, not an unusually long time, and the great anxiety felt by his parents is much relieved.

Motored from Macon

Mr. and Mrs. William Schayler and family of Macon, Ill., drove to Dixon today and are guests at the home of Mrs. Schuyler's mother, J. V. Boren. They will remain over Sunday.

At Dinner

Mrs. Frank Kellogg entertained last evening at a six o'clock dinner for Miss O'Malley of Chicago, who is visiting here at the home of her father, John O'Malley, of Fourth street.

From Rockford

Miss Carolyn Flyn of Rockford is a guest at the home of her grandfather, Daniel Spielman, and of her aunt, Mrs. Henry Skinner.

R. N. A., M. W. A., Attention

Every Royal Neighbor and Modern Woodman and wives of Modern Woodmen are invited to meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening (Saturday) at the home of Mrs. Samuel Mall, 329 Lincoln Way. This is to be a surprise on a Neighbor. It may be you. Come and see the fun. Refreshments furnished "free" gratis—for nothing. It won't cost you a cent.

Motoring Trip

Miss Maude McCune will go to Davenport, Ia., Friday and from there, where she will meet a party of friends, will take an automobile trip to Muscatine, Burlington, and Keokuk, Iowa.

To Muscatine, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meier, daughter and son, motored from East Grove to Amboy and Dixon yesterday on business.

Visits in Ottawa

Mrs. Robert Teachout went to Ottawa yesterday to visit at the home of her son, Floyd Teachout.

Returns to City

Miss Mary McCoy, registered nurse, returns to Chicago tomorrow after a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCoy.

Guest at Foreman Home

Mrs. Adam Foreman of South Dixon is entertaining for a few days Miss Betty Christensen of Chicago, who has been the guest of Miss Marie Madden.

Guests of Campers

Miss Grace Fruin and Mrs. Croson of Oregon are visiting the campers at the McKinstry cottage at Assembly Park.

Promotion Day Program

Between fifty and sixty Sunday School pupils will take part in the Promotion Day exercises to be held Sunday evening at the St. James Lutheran church. The following interesting program will be given, to which the public is invited:

March and Song: Little Children of the King—Fifty Children.
Prayer—Rev. L. Wood.
Recitation—Marion Bahen.
Dialogue: Morning Song—Geez Hewitt, Naida Mossholder.
Recitation: Do the Best You Can—Laura Kenney.
Song by the choir.
Dialogue: Help One Along—Goldie Ritzer, Daisy Hill, Irene Toot.
Recitation—George Scott.
Piano Solo—Mary Cramer.
Reading—Ruth Guphill.
Vocal Duet—Jean and Ivan Wallace.
Recitation: Henry Mossholder.
Dialogue: The Heights of the Hills—Four Girls.
Instrumental Duet: Josephine Royster, Martha Shippert.
Recitation—Edna Lehman.
Piano Solo—Katherine Oddy.
Recitation—Lucille Bahen.
Dialogue: The Imprisoned Sunbeams—Four Girls.
Instrumental Duet—Ethel and Myrtle Hewitt.

Dialogue—Three Girls.
Recitation—Jean Wallace.
Instrumental Duet—Mrs. Lillian Welsh, Martha Shippert.
Reading, Nada Geisler.
Song—The Choir.
Recitation—Lucille Toot.
Dialogue—The Flag of Our Faith—Seven Boys.
Vocal Solo—Josephine Royster.
Recitation—Avis Hill.
Recitation—Ivan Wallace.
Violin Duet—Myrtle Whitebread and Grace Bothe.
Reading, Teddy's country—Martha Shippert.
Piano Solo—Mrs. Welsh.
Flag Drill: Eight Children (Four Boys and Four Girls.)
Children's Offering for the Church
Song—Choir.

Guest at Reinhart Home

Miss Olive Shippert of St. James is a guest at the John Reinhart home near Ashton.

U. S. ASKS BRITAIN "WHY"

Cause of Seizure of American Fishing Schooners Is Demanded.

London, Aug. 25.—Inquiries are being made of the British government by Robert P. Skinner, the American consul general, as the cause of the seizure of the American fishing schooners, Maxine Elliott and Lizzie Griffin, which were fishing off the coast of Iceland and were taken into Lerwick, Shetland Islands, by a British patrol boat.

No reply to the inquiries has been received, but the belief is expressed that the schooners are the victims of the general policy which Great Britain is apparently adopting toward neutral fishermen in an effort to induce them to sell their catches to the British rather than dispose of them in quarters through which they might reach Germany.

ACCEPTS TAFT'S STUMP AID

Republican National Committee Arranges Itinerary for Ex-President.

New York, Aug. 25.—The Republican national committee has accepted former President Taft's offer to take the stump in behalf of Candidate Hughes, and an itinerary is being arranged.

Roosevelt's itinerary is being rearranged to provide for a number of engagements in the middle west.

Descendant of Betsy Ross Dead.

Anderson, Ind., Aug. 25.—Mrs. Mary Prater, age sixty-five, is dead at her home in the village of Alford, near Ingalls. She was the widow of W. H. Prater, a civil war veteran, and it is said she was a descendant of Betsy Ross, who made the first American flag.

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FOR RENT: West side of double house, 107 W. 1st St. For further information Tel. 78 or call at 519 E. 2nd St. 201 1 F

FOR SALE: Kitchen Cabinet, two burner gas plate, 3 nearly new rugs, and small ice box. F. D. Townsend, 511 Third street. 211 t 3

FOR RENT: Strictly modern 9-room house; barn and garage. Three doors from College, on Third street. Possession Sept. 1. Telephone 478, F. C. Wagner. 201 t 6

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CHAS. W. FAIRBANKS
For Governor
FRANK O. LOWDEN

THE COST OF IT.

"He stopped the strike."

This phrase, we suppose, will almost certainly be added to "He kept us out of war."

But at what cost? Who knows?

In the case of the foreign war our children's children may still be paying for the manner in which we have been "kept out of war."

In the threatened railroad strike the stage is more compact and we can more clearly estimate the cost.

We can see, first, that the railroads are to be saddled, out of hand, with "a basic eight-hour day," which no post-facto commission, whatever its verdict on the cost, will ever be able to remove. Operating managers say it will add \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 to their fixed wage charges. President Underwood says it will a little more than wipe out the entire present margin, so that stockholders will be paying 103 per cent of their roads' receipts in order to operate them.

President Wilson gave the official sanction of the presidency to this fundamental economic change, after consultation solely with the men who asked it—and, possibly, two days' consideration.

After five months' investigation of this very question's rights and its wrongs, hearing from the men and the managers in formal court proceedings, Mr. Charles Nagel of the 1915 arbitration board said: "I admit that we did not settle it; we did not know how to settle it."

The second cost is admission of the principle that the best-paid men on a railroad, if organized, may force an increase in their pay without any consideration whatever of their rights of the more poorly paid majority. What are the rights of this situation?

Mr. Nagel said: "We had to deal with a large system which had to meet demands again and again from certain classes of its employees while other classes of its employees were neglected—forgotten."

"If the railroads can grant these increases and are contemplating granting these increases, then, in my judgment, they as public carriers are bound to consider the condition of the other employees at the same time. I see no escape from that. A private business may do what it will as long as it can, but a public carrier, charged with a public obligation, is bound to consider the welfare, the safety and the security of every employee and put them all upon a basis where they can render satisfactory service to the public. I can see no escape from that conclusion."

How about this obligation? What will it cost? How is that to be met?

Finally, we have the cost that lies in the abandonment of the principle that industrial disputes are to be settled not by strikes or lockouts, but by arbitration.

This is a real abandonment, no matter how nicely the president may try to split phrases in order to conceal it.

Were we in the position of the railroad managers, we would see to it that this pretense was promptly swept aside. We would seek to put reality into the dishonest confusion of ideas that lies under the glib phrase "adoption of the eight-hour day."

One way to do it would be to say: "All right, we will accept your basic eight-hour day. But we will accept it on an undertime as well as an overtime basis. We will let it be supreme, let it supplant utterly the old rule that 'ten hours or less, or 100 miles' run or less, shall equal a day's work.' We will pay the men extra for just what they do when they work more than the eight hours, but we will also pay them for just what they do when they work less than eight hours. We will do away with the easy money that comes to a man who runs 100 miles up to Milwaukee, 'lays over' for an hour, runs the 100 miles back and then draws two days' pay for four hours' work. We will really install the basic eight-hour day. We will pay him for four hours' work instead of for sixteen."

Of course, the idea is utopia. The brotherhoods would be up in arms in a minute. But the bluff would be called, and the people would understand for just what sort of a mess of pottage their reliance upon the hard-won principle of arbitration is being sold.

"He has kept us out of war." But he has taught us that there are things worse than war. "He has stopped the strike." But he has taught us that there is something even worse than a general strike on all the railroads of the United States. He has instructed us in the strange throw-back that hereafter we must fight out our industrial struggles with pickets and boycotting, and strikebreakers and wrecking crews, and mobs and machine guns instead of by arbitration.

Is settlement on such a basis worth the price?—Chicago Post.

TO CONSERVE PAPER SUPPLY.

At the joint meeting of the publishers belonging to the Illinois Daily Press Association and the Inland Daily Press Association, held in Chicago the fore part of the week, the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, At a joint meeting of the Inland Daily Press Association, the Illinois Daily Newspaper Association, and representatives of the Chicago newspaper publishers, held in Chicago, August 22, 1916, comprising editors and publishers from the central west, the present crisis in the production of news print was fully discussed, and

Whereas, Information gathered from many sources developed the fact that the present price and the apparent scarcity of news print threatens to force the discontinuance of the newspapers of many members to the great disadvantage of the newspaper reader and the general public, and

Whereas, The newspaper publishers of the country have instituted every economy to reduce the consumption of news print by reduction in size of its product and the general elimination of waste, it was, by a unanimous vote

Resolved, That the newspaper publishers here represented, request their representatives in Washington to seriously consider the present condi-

tion of the news print paper market for the purpose of taking all necessary action toward improving such conditions in any and every way possible, and particularly in the investigation of the manufacture of print paper, and the method of its sale and manner of its distribution, and that the associations represented urge upon their membership a continued co-operation in the adoption of all practical suggestions for the saving of print paper consumption.

Inland Daily Press Association—A. L. Miller, President; Will V. Tufford, Secretary.

The Illinois Daily Newspaper Association—John V. Riley, President; John Sundine, Secretary.

Editor Hemingway, of the Tri-County Press, published in "dry" Polo, dry for many years, publishes an editorial in his paper which is a scathing reproof to the Anti-Saloon League for its endorsement of Hull for governor and against Lowden. Dry Polo knows Lowden well enough, and trusts him.

With the leaders of the local anti-saloon element in favor of Lowden, how do McBride and the heads of the anti-saloon league of the state explain itself in being for Hull, the Deneen candidate?

Pork is way up in the air and even the lowly bean is putting on airs and becoming more aristocratic in price.

Heard At Nations Capital

DEMOCRATIC IDEA OF FITNESS (Special Correspondence)

Wash., Aug. 21—Hughes' speech at Detroit was a big gun that had an accurate range upon Washington and the detonating charge that the administration has misused the federal offices to care for the incompetent and the favorite threw the democratic trenches into the wildest confusion.

The department of commerce fired back with a spluttering shrapnel of denial that E. Lester Jones, the director of the coast and geodetic survey, was a veterinarian—but the missile proved to be what the boys call a "sizzer."

The facts are that Dr. Jones was graduated as a horse doctor—and within a year a fac-simile of his diploma has been printed in a New York newspaper, together with a reproduction of the doctor's letter head which he used in the bucolic retreat of Culpeper, Virginia, and which stated in unmistakable English that such was one of his callings, at least.

It is also readily recalled here with what witticisms the real scientists of the government department greeted the worthy doctor's first appointment into the federal service as assistant deputy superintendent of the bureau of fisheries. His induction into the post did not seriously agitate the fountains of scientific knowledge in Washington. As one academician then expressed it: "One might, by a stretch of logic, see a certain appropriateness in assigning a horse doctor to such a position, inasmuch as he could exercise his professional talents in the treatment of ailing sea-horses and sea-cows and in establishing kindergartens for pet catfish and gymnasia for the higher training of dogfish." Wilson's supporters claim that to be used by Josephus Daniels in the submarine warfare.

The episode has severely gotten on the nerves and under the skin of the administration. It was made a tope that respect.

ing after the Detroit speech — and the task of denial was wished onto Mr. Redfield's department where nothing better could be found to say than that Dr. Jones had infused new life into the service. Whether this means that he has followed the practice that put him in office and is diligently engaged in supplanting trained scientists with dilettante democrats who have a degree in the veterinary arts, Secretary Redfield and Assistant Secretary Sweet thus far have declined to say.

Alamosa, Colo., Courier—Whithersoever whiffing, wilful, wilful Woodrow wanders with wearisome wavering, weird whisperings weave wondrous, wrothful warnings.

Omaha Bee—Mr. Hughes showed rare discretion in picking out the places to hit the administration. It is not an easy choice to make, where so many openings exist.

Abilene, Kas., Reflector—President Wilson says that he does not care so much about the result of the election as he does of the permanent verdict of mankind, but there isn't much evidence that either will be in his favor.

Marquette, Mich., Chronicle—The president says that he has the "most perfect means" of ascertaining what the people are talking about. It may be just as well for his peace of mind that he can't hear all the things that in the treatment of ailing sea-horses are said about him.

Norwich, Conn., Bulletin—President Wilson's supporters claim that to be used by Josephus Daniels in the submarine warfare.

The episode has severely gotten on the nerves and under the skin of the administration. It was made a tope that respect.

Miss Margaret Sadler will go to Earlville tomorrow to spend the week-end with her parents.

Mr. Fitzmaurice of East Grove threshed yesterday. The crew went to the farm of Sam Wallin of the same vicinity today.

W. W. Woolley spent yesterday on his farm in Ogle county while threshing was in progress. The oats on Mr. Woolley's farm went about 53 bushels to the acre.

John Wagner was here from Ashton yesterday.

Harvey Sennett, and a party of four men, including Lee LeFever and Mr. Knouse, left this morning on a motor trip to The Dells, Wis.

Pittsburgh Bank s Closed. Pittsburgh, Aug. 25.—The Central Trust company of Pittsburgh was closed by order of the state banking department, an announcement posted on the door giving bad loans and overdrafts as the cause. In its last report to the banking commissioner the company reported total deposits as \$561,334.

Explosion Shakes Tricities. Davenport, Ia., Aug. 21.—An explosion, which shook the tri-cities of Moline, Rock Island and Davenport, destroyed a laboratory of the Rock Island arsenal. The explosion was followed by a fire. The cause of the explosion has not been ascertained.

Clark First in Trap Shoot. St. Louis, Aug. 21.—Homer Clark of Alton, Ill. won the all-round contest for the Hercules cup at the first preliminary match of the Grand American trap shooting tournament.

FRENCH OCCUPY ALL MAUREPAS

2-Kilometer Front Carried 200 Meters Beyond Town.

French Pass Maurepas. London, Aug. 25.—French troops completed the occupation of Maurepas and carried their line 200 meters beyond the town on a front of two kilometers, according to the night French war office communication. On the Somme front in the neighborhood of Guillemon, the German troops launched a strong attack in an effort to regain lost ground. The official British statement issued here says the attack was repulsed after a severe struggle in which the Germans sustained heavy losses.

Russ Defeat 80,000 Turks. Petrograd, Aug. 25.—Russian troops have defeated four Turkish divisions (80,000 men) in a great battle near the Village of Rachta, near Mosul, capturing two entire Turkish regiments, it was officially announced. Many cannon and much other booty were taken.

Teutonic forces have begun determined attacks against the Russians who recently forced their way across to the west bank of the Stokhod in the vicinity of Rudka-Chervische, northeast of Kovel. According to the announcement by the war office, the attacking columns which opened their offensive Wednesday afternoon in the Russian positions near Tobol, in this sector, were repulsed by the Russian fire.

Slavs Defeated, Says Turks. Constantinople, Aug. 25.—The repulse of a Russian attack on the Turkish positions along the Caucasus front, with a loss of 3,400 Russian troops, is reported in the official statement.

WON CHAMPIONSHIP

(Associated Press) Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 25 — Mrs. F. C. Lets of Cincinnati today won the Women's Western-Golf championship.

Anniversaries

Today in Illinois History

August 25, 1743.—The French governor at New Orleans complained that in spite of its rich resources, the Illinois country was of little assistance to the rest of Louisiana, because its trade was diverted to Canada.

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experienced men in charge of road building and road maintenance, great advance will have been made and the efforts of those who labored to secure the legislation will have been rewarded.

Employment of Experts

"I assume, as a matter of necessity, that this law will require the employment in every state of experts, of real experts. This word is very much abused, as the word 'theorist' is. I frequently hear a contrast drawn between the theorists and practical men. The classification ought to be in to good theorists and bad theorists, of practical men and impractical men. A really good theorist is highly practical; so is a real expert. The public is somewhat suspicious of experts, because, I think, so many people pose as experts who are not. When the public sets an expert aside, it is worth while to inquire carefully into the expert's claims and competency.

"I repeat that this act will necessitate trained intelligence in the service of the state as well as in the service of the federal government. The act requires the state to accept it. That, as I understand it, implies the assent of the state to every provision of the act. One of these provisions is that projects, plans, specifications and contracts shall be submitted and approved; and I have a suspicion that plans and specifications will not be approved unless they are submitted by people who know about such things. So the assent of the state involves the calling of trained men into the service of every state which is now without them.

"The law involves another thing, the pledge of faith of the state to meet in full the federal appropriation for the whole period covered by the act. The state legislature may not be able to appropriate money one year for the whole period covered by the act, but it can pledge the faith of the state to meet the financial provisions of the act for the period covered by it. This is as it should be. It would be unfortunate if it were otherwise. It would be wasteful not to make plans at the outset for the full period covered by the act; it would mean piecemeal road building and much dissipation of effort and misdirection of the funds. These requirements hold whether the state as such, under the existing law, may engage in road building or not. The provision that where the state may not engage in highway improvement the money may be secured if counties raise a sum sufficient to meet the apportionment to the state involves the necessity on the part of such counties of raising an amount sufficient to meet the full apportionment for the state, the existence of a highway commission, and compliance with all the other terms of the act. I speak of this because there are evidences that individual counties think that, if they raise a certain sum of money, they will, of necessity, get a corresponding sum from the federal treasury. That is not my construction of the act and not the one that will be likely to prevail.

"The duty will rest upon you gentlemen who represent the states of informing the people as to the meaning of this legislation and as to the procedure under it, because the initiative under the law lies with you. We are directed to co-operate with you, with the state through the state highway department. It is your duty, if your state accepts the law, to agree with us on roads to be constructed and to submit projects, plans and specifications. Therefore, individuals, association and counties will of necessity take up such matter directly with you, and we shall hear from them through you for the most part."

PAYS FOR BEING A BOURBON
 Illinoisan Loses His Legs and Arm Hopping Train.

Pana, Ill., Aug. 24.—Eugene Perryman, aged twenty-five, of Shelbyville, was injured while trying to catch a freight train on the Big Four. Both legs and one arm were severed.

His brother, Ernest Perryman, was killed by a train at Shelbyville two weeks ago.

Duquoin, Ill., Woman Dies in Denver.
 Duquoin, Ill., Aug. 24.—Relatives were apprised of the death of Mrs. Edward C. Cahill, which occurred at Denver, where she had gone several months ago for the benefit of her health. E. C. Cahill, husband of the deceased, has for years been identified with the Illinois Coal Operators' association and is widely known in South and Central Illinois mining circles.

St. Paul's Lutheran
 Rev. F. D. Altman, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 9:45.
 Morning Worship, 11:00.
 Evening Service, 7:45.
 Theme, "A New Kind of an Old Light."
 Everybody is invited. Our electric fans are working well.

St. James Lutheran
 Rev. L. Woods, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 10:30.
 Exercises by S. S., 7:45 p. m.

Zion Lutheran
 Rev. L. Woods, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Congregational Church
 313 Van Buren St.
 Rev. John Dornhoefer, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Classes for all ages.
 Morning Service, 11:00.
 Theme, "Team-Work."
 Evening Service, 7:45.
 Theme, "A New Kind of an Old Light."
 Everybody is invited. Our electric fans are working well.

First Church of Christ Scientist
 316 W. First street
 Services Sunday, 11 a. m.
 Subject, "Christ Jesus."
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Wednesday, 8 p. m.
 Reading room open daily from two to four p. m., except Sunday and legal holidays.

German Lutheran
 Rev. Theodore Drexel, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Service, 10:30.
 Choir meeting this evening.

Church of the Brethren
 Rev. J. J. Johnson, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Preaching Service, 11:00.
 Evening Service, 7:30.
 Mid-week Service, Thursday evening, 7:30.

First Baptist Church
 Rev. George W. Stoddard, pastor
 Subjects for Sunday:
 10:45 a. m., "The Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man."
 7:30 p. m., "King Uzziah, the Compromiser, and the Man of Today Who Carries Water on Both Shoulders."
 Baptism will be administered immediately after the evening service.
 Come and worship with us. Inspiring music at both services.

Emmanuel Church
 Rev. S. R. Bingaman, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 There will be no preaching service on account of the pastor being at camp meeting.

Eldena Church
 Rev. S. R. Bingaman, Pastor.
 There will be no preaching service because of the absence of the pastor at campmeeting.

Methodist Church
 Rev. Ernest C. Lumsden, Pastor.
 Sunday School, 9:45.
 Supt. C. C. Hintz.
 Morning service, 10:45.
 Subject, "A Call to Action."
 Epworth League, 7:00.
 Evening Service, 7:45.
 Subject, "Life's Scrap Heap."
 Official Board Monday at 7:15.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30.
 Subject, "What Is Christ to Me?"
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Seen in The Movie Land

PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight you will find a program at the Princess that will be sure to please everyone. Vivian Rich and King Clark will appear in "The Dancer."

Often the most devoted mothers, inspired by the belief in their own views being for the betterment of their children, interfere in both the little and great problems life presents to their sons and daughters. The advice so kindly meant is often responsible for marital dissensions and misunderstandings.

This theme has been employed in holding true to life human interest in "The Dancer," pictured at the American Mutual studios in a two act drama. Vivian Rich and King Clark have been cast for the roles of the young couple separated through interference of the husband's mother, which exacting part is ably undertaken by Louise Lester, Georges Periolat and Margaret Nichols also figure in the plot, making the most of their portrayals.

Also the Mutual Weekly News Events and "The Delinquent Bridegroom," a comedy, will be seen.

CHILDREN'S TICKETS

County Superintendent L. W. Miller has received a large number of children's tickets for the State Fair, which will be held at Springfield on Sept. 15-23. These tickets are for free distribution to those who make application to the head of the county schools.

BRUSH FIRE.

The fire department was called to the corner of Madison avenue and First street Tuesday afternoon to extinguish a brush fire.

COPPINS COLLEGE OPENS

The Copplins Commercial College will open for the fall term on Tuesday, September 5th.

Constipation upsets the entire system—causing many illnesses to the human family. Don't worry—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive out constipation, regulate the bowels, tone the stomach, purify the system. Give it a thorough trial. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Rowland Bros.

ROAD HEADS IN HEATED DEBATE

Western Leaders Reject Tentative 8-Hour Agreement.

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come effective immediately, dating preferably from October 1.

What President Promised.

The president promised, as an indemnity against undue loss from the concession of the eight-hour day:

First.—To use his influence, personal and official, to obtain for the railroads an increase of freight rates.

Second.—That the principle of arbitration would be maintained and conserved; that the demand of the brotherhoods for time and a half for overtime and the contingent demands of the railroads affecting special wage schedules would be arbitrated.

Third.—The enactment of a compulsory investigation law similar in general outlines to the Canadian industrial disputes act. This legislation to be obtained before January 1, 1917.

Fourth.—The enlargement of the interstate commerce commission from seven to nine members, an increase which would be considered highly favorable to the railroads.

Conferences Precede Agreement.

The tentative agreement over which the fight now is centered was worked out through a series of conferences, proposals and counter-proposals. President Wilson employed Judge W. L. Chambers of the mediation board to deal with the brotherhoods.

As soon as the president was informed of the essential points in the proposed agreement, Judge Chambers obtained a statement that the arrangement would be satisfactory to the brotherhood leaders. The president at once called the subcommittee of the railway heads—Presidents Holden and Lovett—to the White House.

At the conclusion of this conference optimism was apparent on all sides and President Wilson started for the golf links.

Western Roads Balk.

When the pact was submitted to the western road executives, they refused to approve the eight-hour day plan, and the debate became so warm an adjournment was taken.

SPORTING NOTES

Crawfordsville, Ind.—Plans are being made for a new gymnasium at Wabash College. Herbert Foltz, an Indianapolis architect, has been employed to prepare tentative plans, and Dr. G. L. McIntosh, president of the college, said he expected the construction work will begin within a month or two. Efforts will be made to have the building ready by the opening of the basketball season.

North Vernon, Ind.—Thomas W. Broiley, "father" of the law which permits Sunday baseball in Indiana, and state statistician, is engaged in the business of booking games for a baseball team he expects to take for a trip through Indiana this fall after the league season closes. The name of his team is "Tom Broiley's North Vernon All Professionals." Some of his players are former big league stars. One of the games already booked is with the A. B. C.'s in Indianapolis.

Warsaw, Ind.—Miss Regina Ries, 12 years old, one of the best swimmers in the state and winner of the 100 yd. breast stroke event at Put-in-Bay, Ohio, recently, is spending the summer at Tippecanoe Lake with her parents. She is in the water much of the time improving her speed and swimming performances. She has been swimming only about a year.

OWEGO ATTACK IS DESCRIBED

American Ship Said to Have Been Fired on by German "U" Boat.

Rottredam, Aug. 24.—According to information here, the American steamer Owego, regarding a reported submarine attack on which the American government has inquired of Germany, arrived here Aug. 13 and reported encountering off the Isle of Wight a German submarine, which fired ten or twelve shots at it without warning. It is declared, some shells striking close to it, but inflicting no damage.

Captain Barlow of the Owego, according to the account given, was at first unable to discern the submarine because of a prevailing haze, but upon the undersea craft approaching he sent a boat with the mate and the ship's papers, after examination of which documents the Germans allowed the Owego to proceed.

UNVEIL JOHN BROWN TABLET

Memory of Enemy of Slavery Honored at Exercises at North Elba, N. Y.

New York, Aug. 24.—A tablet, which was unveiled affixed to a large boulder which marks the burial place of John Brown, enemy of slavery, at North Elba, near Lake Placid, N. Y.

The tablet is the result of efforts of Byron R. Brewster, a friend of John Brown, and was designed by William Donald Mitchell of New York.



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..NOTES BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS..

Items of Neighborhood Interest Picked Up by Telegraph Writers

WEST BROOKLYN.
John Acker was here Tuesday on business.
F. W. Meyer went to Chicago Tuesday to spend a couple of days buying winter goods for his store.
Mrs. Frank Hoggart was out in the country visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christensen Tuesday.
Martin Wigum and wife of Congress Park are here spending a portion of their vacation with relatives and friends.
Albert Barnickel of Compton was here Tuesday shopping.
Gilbert Stein of Welland was here Tuesday. He states that they had a heavy rain in his vicinity on Monday night. In West Brooklyn we had a moderate shower but north of town it did not rain and threshing continued as usual. This was not the case

south of town and the farmers were obliged to accept a holiday.
Bert Pye and wife of Pawpaw attended church here Sunday.
Joel J. Barr was in town Tuesday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gehant motored to Grand Detour Sunday to enjoy the fishing.
C. A. Jeanblanc and family of N. 2, Compton, were visitors here Sunday.
The children of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pye returned to their temporary home between Dixon and Sterling on Sunday after visiting relatives here for a week.
Mathias Haub Jr. was in town on business Monday.
Wm. Auchstetter motored to Aurora Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Oester and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Oester.
Julius Delhetal of Viola township was here Tuesday.
John M. Bittner of R. 2, Compton, was here Tuesday transacting business.
Andrew Vincent drove over from Ashton Sunday to spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Vincent.
Adam Schanberg of Ashton was here Tuesday.
Subscribe for the West Brooklyn News, \$1.50 per year in advance.
Jos. Chaon Sr. was in town Tuesday wearing a broad smile and saying he felt five years younger. We did not know what he meant until we came in contact with Frank Chaon's smile. We said to Frank, "What is it?" and he said, "A girl." Then we remembered that Grandpa Chaon had told us some time ago that every time he becomes grandpa he feels five years younger. Everybody is doing fine.
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Long, Mrs. Terhune and B. J. Long motored to Am-

boy on Monday to visit with relatives during the day.
P. M. Fassig of South Brooklyn was here Tuesday on business.
Peter Blackburn and family of Harmon were guests of W. J. Long and family Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Long and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long motored up from Harmon Sunday and visited C. P. Henkel and wife.
George July has leased the old Harper farm from Frank Bresson and will succeed Mr. Fenton, present tenant after this year.
The Frank Meeks children of Amboy are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Amel Henry in West Brooklyn.
J. G. Halboth and Christian Zimmerman were in West Brooklyn on Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Full of Maytown spent Sunday with George Meister and family.
How the Mighty Have Fallen.
West Brooklyn again met defeat on Sunday afternoon when the Harmon boys came over and got the long end of a 5 to 0 score after nine innings of good baseball playing on both sides. The locals put up an excellent game and did good work in every department but their old trouble stood in the way. This is not being able to hit Wise, the Harmon left-handed pitcher, and this accounts for the row of goose eggs placed to their credit on the score card. In the early part of the year West Brooklyn moved down Harmon's team in the onward march of 11 straight wins but now the tables are reversed and Harmon seems to have their right wind and are cleaning up on every team they play. It is our prediction that the team that wins the championship of the county this year will have to beat Harmon out or else they will be the winners themselves. They have a cracker-jack of a pitcher in Wise and some excellent players to support him. This was proven in last Sunday's game for in the last inning when West Brooklyn got chesty and attempted to push

over a few scores at the pitcher's expense the fielders came to his rescue and saved the game. In the ninth inning McCrea had reached second base and was waiting for some of his mates to send him over the plate. Biggart came to bat and landed on a good one which was tagged for a home run. It sailed high and far over the left-fielder's head but that fielder turned and ran with a leap speared the ball, while running backward, in one hand and held it. That ended the game as two men were out at the time. It is such work as this that is making the Harmon team a winner, and Bob Ryan, who made the catch, proved by that one play that he can field. It was one of the best plays ever seen here. The game was not one-sided by any means but was interesting from start to finish. The five scores scored by the Harmon team were not easily gathered and it required hard play in every instance to add to the count. Again we say it was a well played game on both sides and not a dull moment was squeezed into the entire nine innings. Next Sunday we have a double header, for the Compton and Ohio teams will come to West Brooklyn to play the locals. The first game starts at 2 p. m.
Faleys Bresson of Viola was here on Tuesday.
E. D. Gehant went to Bloomington the early part of the week to care for business connected with the hardware store.
How fast that first day of school comes! September 4th is the first day and the teachers are anxious that every pupil be on hand for the opening class so as not to require the first week in getting started due to late arrivals.
The Foresters have decided upon September 3rd for the day to hold their annual picnic and are planning a great time. If the weather should turn out stormy the picnic will be held the following day, Labor day, which is a holiday anyway.
The writup of the West Brooklyn fishing party's diary in our last issue again proves the solid fact that every man is only human and is subject to mistakes. In listing those who visited the camp as guests we got the name of Jake Henkel in print instead of Jake Michel.
Jos. E. Vincent was in town Wednesday on business.
George Swope of Compton was here Wednesday.
J. L. LaPorte of Pawpaw motored to West Brooklyn Tuesday.
H. F. Vaughan, who has been filling the office of station agent for the Q. railroad here for the past couple of months, has gone to Rochelle to accept a position as cashier with the company in their transfer office. He is succeeded in West Brooklyn by J. L. Wood, whom we are told is to be regular agent and who is not already awaiting the arrival of another to succeed him. We hope Mr. Wood finds the work here to his liking and that our town will prove agreeable to him in which to follow his work.
Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Henry of Dixon were here looking over their farm north of town Wednesday.
Bert Pye motored over from Pawpaw Wednesday.
Ed Bresson of Viola township was here Wednesday on business.
The community was saddened on

Wednesday to learn that one of its venerable citizen has passed this life for the next. Martin Gruss, to whom we refer, was aged 67 years and had spent most of his life in West Brooklyn, being one of the oldest citizens. His health had been poor for the past year and often his friends were worried over his condition. Funeral services are not arranged for at present but we hope to have a complete obituary in our next issue.

ASHTON

Ashton, Aug. 23—Calvin Walker of Muscatine, Iowa, is a visitor in Ashton today.
Miss Alice Eddy was a Chicago visitor Monday.
Mrs. Guy Taylor and son Teddy of Assumption are guests for two weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ernestine Stephan.
Mr. and Mrs. William Fee and daughters Muriel and Lois, have just returned home after enjoying a month's camp life.
Hugh T. Brown of Rockford spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. E. C. Griffith.
Two carloads of dredging material are on the track to start the sewerage system.
Margaret Roessler is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph.
Rev. T. E. Stevens of Sioux City, Iowa, will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, September 3d. Mr. Stevens was a highly esteemed pastor of the church ten years ago.
Mrs. Rhoda Andrus and daughter Elizabeth went to Dixon Friday to spend a few days at Lycote cottage on the Assembly grounds.
John Charters and brother Paul left Saturday for Boston where John will attend the Rexall convention.
Misses Ruth and Miriam Fackler went to Lanark Tuesday to attend the District convention of the church of the Brethren. Later they will visit friends in Cedarville.
A marriage of interest to Ashtonites occurred Saturday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage when Rev. Graham united in marriage John Absher and Gertrude Pell. Mr. and Mrs. Absher took the afternoon train to Chicago and returned home Monday evening.
Misses Ellen and Marjorie Griffith entertained three college friends Monday from Mt. Vernon, Ia., who were on their way to the Y. W. C. A. train.
Rev. Eller and son Paul, Mrs. Adam Eisenberg and Miss Sophia Hotel were among those who went to the oakdale campmeeting last Saturday.
Miss Grace Walters entertained the Winsome girls at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walters Friday evening.
A young machanic has arrived in Ashton, August 22d, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Faust Loyd.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephan were guests at the home of brother Stephan several days this week.
Mrs. George Cobb and daughters Lela and Helen and Mrs. Noble of Rochelle motored to Ashton Monday evening to visit with friends.

ROCHELLE

Rochelle, August 23—The P. H. Henedel, Jr., and Geo. E. Stocking Canning factories will start canning

corn within the next few days. Lab orers are arriving every day and the finishing touches are being put on the machines. The factories anticipate a six weeks' pack. Cletus Moley has taken the position of timekeeper at the Hohenadel factory.
Mrs. W. J. Furlong and son, W. J., Jr., are on a trip to Mackinac Island and Georgian Bay.
The coal sheds back of the Antwine lunch rooms in the Northwestern railroad yards are being torn down by workmen employed by George Schabacker, who has purchased the buildings. Cement block coal sheds will be erected for the Doyon-Rayne Lumber Co., on the old site immediately.
The J. T. LaForge Co., has purchased the Harvey Countryman barn and workmen are busy tearing it down and removing the building material from the premises.
Ralph Cleveland is on an automobile trip to Bloomington.
W. J. Furlong has received a mess of blue gills and black bass caught by W. C. Lux, Jr., who is enjoying an outing at Temple Lake, Wis.
Private Wm. W. May, of Battery C, Illinois Field Artillery writes from Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, that:
"One of our pleasant diversions is hunting tarantulas and scorpions. These merry little tent mates are found in great numbers all over camp. It is quite common to find one disputing the possession of a shoe or blanket and several of the boys have received rather painful bites. So far I have escaped.
No one seems to know when we will be sent back home but most of the officers with whom I have talked seem to think that we will be here for a couple of months at least."
Rochelle, August 22—A number of Rochelle young women are enjoying an outing at the Lake Lawn cottages at Delavan lake, Wis. The party includes Helen Southworth, Ruth Healy, Vera Wayte, Agnes Sammon.
Ralph Lewis has resigned his position as cashier at the Burlington railroad offices and will take a vacation trip to Chicago, Moline, and Madison, Wis.
W. B. Rankin is transacting business in Chicago today.
A number of young ladies of the younger set gave a shower for Mrs. Delos Carpenter, Monday evening, followed by refreshments at Kneegen's.
W. J. Furlong, Jr., and his mother are enjoying a vacation trip to one of the Michigan summer resorts.
David Sherwood is visiting Chicago relatives.
Harry Peck is spending two weeks with acquaintances at Elgin.
The Misses Grace and Alice Korth of Chicago are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Raker.

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Erman O. Miller, who has been ill with typhoid, is convalescing splendidly. He is now able to sit up a good part of the time.

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FROM NEIGHBORING TOWNS

News Items of Interest to Readers in County

COMPTON

Compton, August 23—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webber and daughter Hazel and Miss Minnie Cobb started with the former's car Tuesday morning for Welford, Minn., where they will spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, who are relatives of the party.

Mrs. C. Oglevie and babe returned home from Cedar Point, having spent a week with relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Martens who has been enjoying a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Oglevie, returned to her home in Cedar Point Wednesday morning.

Mr. Shapland is here this week, looking after business matters. Mrs. J. Cain entertained her granddaughter, Mrs. Eula Livingston and little son of Milford, Iowa, a few days last week.

Mrs. Chas. McFarland of Mendota, has been visiting Mrs. Cynthia and Nettie Cook the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mentz of Chickcheny, Penn., motored here and are visiting J. W. Banks and family and other relatives.

Mr. Frank Fordham and wife and a company of friends from Dixon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bradshaw Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Antone Heafner and Mr. and Mrs. E. Clemmons were among those from here who attended the state fair in Bloomington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Florscheutz took their little seven year old daughter Amanda to the Rochelle hospital Monday afternoon for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fox and family left here with their car for North Baltimore, Ohio; word received from there reports a fine trip and the journey covering 352 miles made in 22 hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carnahan motored to Elgin Monday to be present at the marriage of their son, Glenn C. Carnahan, to Miss Inez M. Palmer, daughter of F. D. Palmer of Dixon, Illinois.

Mrs. W. W. Phillips was here from Dixon Wednesday. Mrs. Leslie Miller entertained her mother, Mrs. Nettie Cook and Mrs. McFarland of Mendota Wednesday to dinner.

Mr. George Kessel motored here from his home west of Amboy Wednesday, bringing with him Mrs. Chas. Voegel and four children of La Moille. All took dinner with Mrs. George Swope and family.

HARMON

Harmon, August 25—Harry Oster is in the meatmarket business; he sells to the farmers while they are doing their threshing. He delivers it to them every morning.

Thomas Long of Sterling, brother of R. W. Long, was a caller in Harmon Tuesday on business.

Lynn Parker and wife went to Dixon Tuesday on business.

John W. Wadsworth was a caller in Harmon Tuesday.

John Blackburn of Marion was a caller in Harmon Tuesday.

Frank Hettinger, who came home to look after his interests here, returned Thursday again to Monticello, as his father is no better than he was; lingering between life and death he may pass away at any time.

R. W. Long was a business caller in Harmon Tuesday.

Wm. Edson was having his crop of grain threshed out Tuesday.

Joseph Scanlan was out Tuesday trying to buy a car load of hogs.

Mrs. Scanlan is quite feeble. The Garland child, who was affected with infantile paralysis, is improving.

W. H. Smith, who had a very sore hand for a long time, is now about well.

James Egan of Hamilton was a caller in Harmon Tuesday.

Dick Johnson threshed out his crop of grain Tuesday.

D. D. Leonard's tenant threshed his crop of grain Tuesday and was having it drawn to market.

The blacksmiths have been kept quite busy. J. Hendricks was a caller in Harmon Thursday.

Dick Johnson was drawing grain to market Thursday.

Thomas Mullen, our shoemaker, has been out helping farmers to get their threshing; farmers have been short men to do their work.

The Harmon school directors will have the school building cleaned out before the school will commence.

The farmers are generally at work doing their fall plowing; there will be considerable wheat sown this fall.

The recent rains have made a great growth on the corn there will be some good corn.

Harry Warner was doing business in Harmon Tuesday.

George Smith was a business caller in Harmon Tuesday.

W. H. Kugler was out again on the telephone line, doing some repairs Tuesday.

John L. Porter, town clerk, was in his office Tuesday looking over his books.

They were unloading a carload of cement at the farmers' elevator Tuesday.

Geo. Long was drawing grain to market Tuesday.

H. Sweeney of Marion was a caller in Harmon Tuesday.

Mr. Roy Brewer of Walnut, real estate agent, was in Harmon Tuesday on business.

Lewis Long and two young ladies motored to Sterling Tuesday.

One man is all the Q. R. R. can get to work on the section at Harmon for the present. Some quit because they did not give as much wages as they could get other places.

The man who rented the Considine hotel building was moving his goods into it Tuesday, getting ready to commence business.

The junk man was in Harmon Tuesday, buying up all the old rags and iron he could get.

Mike Purdue was a caller in Harmon Tuesday shopping; he brought in nearly a bushel of eggs to sell; they are now a good price.

Wallace of Chicago was a caller in Harmon Tuesday; made a short call with Mr. Andrews.

Geo. E. Ross was drawing lumber Tuesday from his house on the farm.

Wilbur Gatzell was drawing grain to market Tuesday.

Wm. Pohle was drawing grain to market Tuesday.

James Morrissey was a caller in Harmon Tuesday doing business at the farmers' elevator.

I. H. Perkins has been doing repair work at the lake school house. McCarter was having his grain threshed and drawn to market Wednesday.

John Blackburn of Marion was threshing his crop of oats Wednesday and drawing it to market.

August Pohle threshed his crop of oats Wednesday.

Wm. Shaffer of Marion was drawing oats to market Wednesday.

James Lally of Marion was a caller in Harmon Wednesday.

The Walnut poultry man was in Harmon Wednesday gathering poultry from the farmers.

George E. Ross and family spent last Sunday in Sterling with friends.

John Sutton was doing business in Harmon Wednesday.

The Hildebrands hired man was drawing grain from Marion Wednesday.

Mrs. Porbs was shopping in Harmon Wednesday.

The Harmon and Deer Grove ball players cross bats at Harmon Sunday, August 27th; they play a fast game; Harmon expects to win, as they usually do in nearly every contest they have; they have played with nearly all the teams in the surrounding towns.

Wednesday some of the Harmon people were doing work at the cemetery in the way of building fence and some other work which it is necessary to do.

The new addition which D. D. Considine has put onto his building is now nearly finished; it will make quite an improvement to have such an extension to it; the room will look much better being larger.

Edward McCormick has been doing a good business since he bought the restaurant from Wm. Camery a short time ago; the appearance of the rooms are much more attractive.

Wm. Giblin was drawing grain to market Wednesday.

Frank Hettinger, who went away Thursday, says that his father has become paralyzed.

Ned Smith and Earl Sennett went to Sterling last evening where they assisted the Rock Falls Woodman band in a concert.

Hollis Drew, who has been very ill with tonsillitis, is reported much better today.

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Dixon Residents Are Learning How To Exchange The Old Back For a Stronger One

Your back aches, feel weak and painful? Do you suffer headaches, laguer, and depression? Is the urine discolored, passages irregular?

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TIME TABLE**ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.**

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily, except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun	7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:03 a. m.
121 Clinton Exp.	6:13 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp.	9:45 a. m.
24 Local Mail	5:39 p. m.
20 North Mail	8:20 p. m.
Freeport Freight	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m.	6:45 p. m.
24 6:22 a. m.	9:05 p. m.
28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun	10:10 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
10 11:24 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
0 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun	2:30 p. m.
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun. only	7:25 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun.	10:20 a. m.
29 7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:22 a. m.
13 10:45 a. m.	1:18 p. m.
9 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun	3:34 p. m.
7 2:40 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:24 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
5 6:10 p. m.	9:04 p. m.
17 9:35 p. m.	12:06 a. m.
* 10:00 p. m.	12:20 a. m.
3 11:20 p. m.	2:22 a. m.
No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria
801 8:30 a. m.	12:05 p. m.

TIME MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to insure its dispatch:

East Mail.

Train	Time
No. 6	5:00 a. m.
No. 28	6:55 a. m.
No. 20	10:40 a. m.
No. 4	5:55 p. m.
No. 12	5:40 p. m.

West Mail.

No. 5	9:55 a. m.
No. 13	12:55 p. m.
No. 27	7:00 p. m.
No. 9	8:42 p. m.
No. 15	1:55 a. m.

South Mail.

No. 119	6:55 a. m.
No. 122	10:40 a. m.
No. 121	4:50 p. m.

North Mail.

No. 112	9:25 a. m.
No. 120	8:10 p. m.
No. 124	4:50 p. m.

WM. F. HOGAN.

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	Pay Sell
Creamery butter	35
Dairy butter	28 33
Lard	13 17
Eggs	25 30
Potatoes	\$1.00 1.25
	to 1.50
Chickens	20 24
Geese	16 21
Ducks	18 22
Turkeys	20 26

LIVE POULTRY.

Springers	18
Hens	13
Cocks	7
Turkeys	10
Ducks	38
Geese	6

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Chicago, Aug. 25, 1916.

	Sept	149%	154	148	153%
Wheat—					
Dec	152%	155%	150%	155%	
May	155%	158	153%	158	
Corn—					
Sept	85%	86%	85%	86%	
Dec	77%	76	73%	75%	
May	78%	79%	77%	79	
Oats—					
Sept	46	47%	46	47%	
Dec	49%	50%	49%	50%	
May	52%	53%	52%	53%	
Rye—					
Sept	143%	144%	143%	143%	
Oct	140%	141%	141%	141%	

Hogs received 20,000.

Left over 5654.

Hog prospects 5 to 10c lower than yesterday's average.

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Good 1060a1100.

Rough 1000a1050.

Light 1030a1100.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.
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ANNOUNCEMENT.
Announcement is hereby made that the Colors of the Primary Ballots to be used at a Primary Election to be held in Lee County, Illinois, on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1916, by the respective parties will be as follows:

Democratic Party—Green.
Republican Party—White.
Progressive Party—Blue.
For Social Justice.
Socialist Party—Pink.
Dated the 21st day of August, A. D. 1916.
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CHANCERY NOTICE.
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.
In the Circuit court of Lee County.
To the September Term, A. D. 1916.
G. W. Gorham vs.

The unknown owners of Lot Number Twenty-eight (28) in the Highland Park Addition to the City of Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois, reference being had to a plat of said addition, recorded in Plat Book "A," page 52, in the Recorder's Office in said Lee County; the unknown heirs of Frances Louise Dixon, deceased; Henrietta Richards, and William H. Richards, her husband; Sarah Goodwin, and George Goodwin, her husband; and Buena V. Skogsberg, and Fred Skogsberg, her husband. In Chancery No. 3397. Bill to Quiet Title.

The requisite affidavits for publication having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois.

Notice is hereby given to the said defendants, the unknown owners of Lot Twenty-eight (28) in the Highland Park Addition to the City of Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois, reference being had to a plat of said addition recorded in Plat Book "A," page 52, in the Recorder's office in said Lee County; the unknown heirs of Frances Louise Dixon, deceased; Henrietta Richards, and William H. Richards, her husband; Sarah Goodwin, and George Goodwin, her husband; and Buena V. Skogsberg, and Fred Skogsberg, her husband, that the above named complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof to quiet title or remove clouds upon the title to the premises described in the said bill of complaint on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1916, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois, to be held at the Court House in the City of Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois, the third Monday in September, A. D. 1916, as is by law required and which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

EDWIN S. ROSECRANS,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
Dixon, Illinois, August 17, 1916.
DIXON & DIXON,
Solicitors for Complainant.

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MANY ATTEND RAY FUNERAL

Former Lieutenant Governor Held Many Positions of Trust.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Chicago and Joliet friends of Lyman Beecher Ray, former lieutenant governor of Illinois during Governor Joseph Fifer's administration, who died at Joliet, attended his funeral.

Mr. Ray was eighty-six years old. He was a resident of Illinois since 1852, when he came west from his birthplace, Crittenden, Va. He filled many offices in Joliet, his home, and in Grundy county. In 1872 Mr. Ray was elected a member of the general assembly. In 1882 he was chosen state senator and in 1888 lieutenant governor.

QUAKE JARS CENTRAL MISSISSIPPI SECTION

Cairo, Ill., Feels Second Tremor Within 3 Months.

Cairo, Ill., Aug. 25.—Cairo was shaken by an earthquake shortly after 5 o'clock in the morning.

So far as known, there was no damage. The direction of the shock was northeast, southwest. A low rumbling sound accompanied the tremor. An earthquake shock was felt here on May 21.

The earthquake was felt far up the Mississippi valley. Two shocks were felt at Fayetteville at 3 o'clock in the morning, and at 4:30 o'clock three more were felt at Thebes.

SEES SON INJURED, MAY DIE

Mother Goes Into Convulsions as "Slide for Life" Fails.

Danville, Ill., Aug. 25.—Mrs. F. E. Coleman of Georgetown was so overcome when she saw her son making a "slide for life" on a rope between two trees that she probably will die and her son, ten years old, is in a serious condition from colliding with a tree.

His mother believing he was killed, fainted. She has been unconscious since.

DOCTOR IS SHOT BY PATIENT

Assailant Says Victim Previously Broke Two of His Ribs.

Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 25.—Dr. W. B. Pomeroy of Davenport, Ia., was shot and it is believed, fatally wounded at Rock Island by James Poulos, a former patient.

Poulos after his arrest said that Pomeroy had attacked him following a dispute over a diagnosis and broken two of his ribs several weeks ago.

Changes Mind, Halts Wedding.

Freeport, Ill., Aug. 25.—Dr. David H. Hardie and Miss Ida M. Biesman, of Galena, obtained a marriage license at Freeport and went to the home of a minister. Then the bride suddenly changed her mind and said the wedding was postponed indefinitely. The girl's parents declared their daughter did not know of the marriage plans.

M. E. Conference at Cairo.

Duquoin, Ill., Aug. 25.—The ecclesiastical year of the Methodist Episcopal churches, South, of the Southern Illinois conference, closed Sunday, and several scores of ministers and lay delegates from the three districts went to Cairo to attend the annual conference. Bishop Adkins will preside.

Cars Jump Track; Kill Flagman.

Ottawa, Ill., Aug. 25.—Peter Creed, a veteran flagman in the employ of the Burlington railroad, was killed instantly when a locomotive and several cars jumping the track toppled upon the little shanty occupied by the crossing watchman.

Lifts Gun by Muzzle, Dead.

Winslow, Aug. 25.—George Kahl, eighteen years old, was killed when in lifting a loaded rifle of large caliber from the ground by the muzzle he in some way discharged the weapon, the bullet passing through his heart.

Pioneer Merchant Dies.

Centralia, Ill., Aug. 25.—E. H. Chapin, aged sixty-nine years, the oldest merchant in Sandoval, died suddenly while eating breakfast. He had been in business in Sandoval since 1885.

Killed Emerging from Mine.

Benton, Ill., Aug. 25.—Tony Jaynick, a miner, thirty-eight years old, was killed by an Illinois Central freight between Benton and Christopher just as he came out of the mine.

Building \$106,000 Freight House.

East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 25.—The Illinois Central railroad has obtained a building permit in East St. Louis for a new freight house and office building to cost \$106,000.

Capital Has Blackbird Pest.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 25.—Swarms of blackbirds became such a nuisance in the west part of the city that Prison-keeper Mester unlimbered his shotgun and annihilated the flock.

Electrocuted on Pole.

Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 25.—Calvin G. Tomlinson, a lineman, was electrocuted while at work on a pole. Two hundred volts passed through his body.

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